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2003 SENATE RESOLUTION 5

March 11, 2003 – Introduced by Joint Legislative Council. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

To create senate rule 52m; relating to: limitations on senate consideration of specified senate amendments and senate substitute amendments to an executive budget bill.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This resolution is explained in the Prefatory note provided by the Joint Legislative Council.

JOINT LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PREFATORY NOTE: This resolution was offered at the recommendation of the Joint Legislative Council's Special Committee on Improving Wisconsin's Fiscal Management.

The resolution creates Senate Rule 52m which establishes that the Senate shall not consider any Senate amendment or Senate substitute amendment to an executive budget bill that contains either of the following types of policy items:

- A nonfiscal policy that has no or minimal state fiscal effect.
- A private or local measure subject to section 18 of article IV of the constitution. As used in the Senate rule, an "executive budget bill" includes the executive budget bill introduced under s. 16.47 (1m), stats., and any subsequent executive budget adjustment bill.

4 Resolved by the senate, That:

5 Section 1. Senate rule 52m is created to read:

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Senate Rule 52m. Policy items in an executive budget bill. The senate
shall not consider any senate amendment or senate substitute amendment to an
executive budget bill that contains any of the following:
(1) A nonfiscal policy that has no or minimal state fiscal effect.
(2) A private or local measure subject to section 18 of article IV of the
constitution.

7 (END)